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fit they cannot be excelled. Clothing
pressed and repaired in a first-class man-
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To clean one of J. S. Tilton's fine
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able, and the trim-
mings are so heavy,
always looks per-
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GLENWOOD RANGES,

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46 Market St.

FLORIDA ORANGES SCARCE

Product of That Section Small For
Past Two Years.

During the last year and this year there
has been a scarcity of Florida oranges on
account of the hard freeze there in 1895.
It is comforting to know that what few
there were this year will probably be
doubled next year. This year's crop was
just about twice that of last year's and
the wholesale dealers are looking forward
to next year's crop doubling the product of
this year. Meanwhile, while no oranges
are like the Florida, it is pleasant to
know that there is an abundance of the
California fruit; that was never better
than this year.

The Jamaica fruit is practically out of
the market now; the California fruit has
been coming in for a month or more, and
through January and February will be at
its height. The crop this year is of un-
usually high color, reasonably sweet, and
about 25 per cent. larger than last year's,
the quality being equally good. About
Jan. 1, the seedling oranges began to come
in. These were cheaper and not as sweet.
Taken as a whole, oranges are a little
cheaper than they were last year, there
being a difference of about 25 cents a box.
In a couple of years it is expected that the
Florida oranges will be again in the mar-
ket.

The Wood Chopper

This is the season of the year when the
wood-chopper hies himself to the grove
with his axe upon his shoulder and his
clay pipe in his mouth. The ozone of the
morning air inflates his lungs, and the to-
bacco smoke from his pipe crowds it down
among his ribs. He is armed and
equipped for lusty work, and nothing can
daunt his courage. The measured swing
of the axe brings one tree after another
prone to the ground, and by successive cuts
they are ready to be corded up. But be-
cause he is a man of muscle, do not think
that he is not a man of genius. His eye
is graduated to the fraction of an inch
and every stick of that pile of wood will
fall in line of the regulation length, and
when he comes to pile up or cord up, as it
is called, the gentle dew from heaven or
the spangled snow in winter cannot fall
more quietly than one stick after another
is laid upon that pile. It is a subtle feel-
ing, and although a good sized rabbit
could hide in any section of that wood pile
it is to all outside appearance, of the regu-
lar dimensions.

Senator Chandler Has the Key

A gentleman who is in a position to
know claims that Senator Chandler has
got the key to the situation in this city on
the appointment of the collector. It is
this. "Mr. Chandler is the New England
member of the committee on postoffices
in the senate and he has determined to
appoint Mr. Sides' appointment until Con-
gressman Sulloway agrees to support W.
Scott Smith and that gentleman is ap-
pointed collector." This opinion is gain-
ing a Portsmouth man will finally be
appointed.

A LITTLE SUFFERER

Face, Hands and Arms Covered With
Scrofulous Humors—How a Cure
Was Effected.

"When five years old my little boy had
scrofula on his face, hands and arms. It
was worst on his chin, although the sores
on his cheeks and hands were very bad.
It appeared in the form of red pimples
which would fester, break open and run
and then scab over. After disappearing
they would break out again. They caused
intense itching and the little sufferer had
to be watched continually to keep him
from scratching the sores. We became
greatly alarmed at his condition. My
wife's mother had had scrofula and the
only medicine which had helped her was
Hood's Sarsaparilla. We decided to give
it to our boy and we noted an improve-
ment in his case very soon. After giving
him four bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla
the humor had all been driven out of his
blood and he has never since returned."
WILLIAM BARTZ, 416 South Williams St.,
South Bend, Indiana.

You can buy Hood's Sarsaparilla of all
druggists. Be sure to get only Hood's.
Hood's Pills cure Liver Bile; easy to take,
easy to operate. 25 cents.

DIAMONDS

—AND—

WATCHES.

Nothing Better For A
Friendship Gift.

JAMES R. CONNELL

Jeweler,

7 Congress Street.

Postmaster Sides' Chances

Among the nominations as yet unde-
termined is that of Col. William O. Sides
for postmaster of Portsmouth. His nomi-
nation was made by the president in the
press but has not been brought up for
a vote in the senate. Congressman Sul-
loway is out and out for Sides; Senator
Chandler is strongly opposed to him, be-
lieving that his confirmation will not
please the majority of republicans in
Portsmouth. Senator Gillingham says that
he requested the postmaster general not
to appoint him, but nevertheless the ap-
pointment was made by the president, and
after the recess the name was again sent
in and is now before the committee on
postoffices and post roads. Senator
Chandler is the New England member of
the committee.

If the committee report adversely, Col-
onel Sides will be rejected. If a favor-
able report should be made, Senator Gil-
lingham will vote in favor of Colonel Sides,
notwithstanding his protest against the
original appointment, as he will not dis-
sent from the decision of the committee.

At the Depot

The Flying Yankee was run in two sec-
tions last night owing to the delay on the
Maine Central. The first section arrived
on time and the Maine Central part arrived
at 9 o'clock in charge of Conductor Dan
Lee.

The Monday night stock train arrived
late last night and was made up of 40
cars which is one of the heaviest ever run
over the line.

Train 102 from North Conway was de-
layed 50 minutes at Conway Junction with
a hot box.

The Devil's Acre car was hauled to
Dover on the 9.50 train.

Engineer Hill is making some fine runs
on Conductor Garland's train.

Talk of changing the motive power of
Y. H. & B. R. K. continues.

Supt. Perkins is planning a number of
changes in this section.

E. Moody Boynton in Town

E. Moody Boynton, the inventor of the
bicycle railway which it is said will revolu-
tionize all modes of railway travel, passed
through here yesterday on his way to
Portland. Mr. Boynton bubbles over
with enthusiasm whenever his pet hobby,
the bicycle railway, is mentioned, and
while waiting for his train yesterday, was
surrounded by half a dozen railroad men
of this city. He has a small line all
equipped and running just outside of New
York city and has the franchise to build a
line in Massachusetts from Boston to
Quincy. It is claimed that a speed of
two miles a minute can be maintained on
the bicycle railway without the usual shak-
ing and jolting of an ordinary fast express
train.

Mr. Boynton has already been offered a
cool million dollars for his patents but has
refused the offer.

The Dam Removed

This morning Street Commissioner
Ridge ordered Mr. Joseph Hett to remove
the dam that he had constructed at the
North Mill bridge, as the water has com-
menced to undermine the foundation of
the bridge. Mr. Ridge acted in accord-
ance with instructions given him by May-
or Emery, who, upon finding out the dam-
age that was being done, thought it best
the dam should be removed at once. This
is likely to cause some little feeling as
Mr. Hett will of course put in his bill to
the city for the \$25 that it was voted to
pay him for the construction of the dam,
and there is said to be strong opposition
to its payment.

Part of the Booty Returned

Marshal Eastwistle received a letter
this morning from the chief of police at
Springfield, containing pictures of the
three Kelleys who were arrested in that
city, on whom was found most of the
jewelry stolen from Alderman Frank C.
Marston's house in this city. He also re-
ceived by express one of the watch and
one ring but it is not known why they did
not send the other watch and the diamond
stud both of which were found on Mr.
Marston will go to Springfield to see
why the other articles were not sent.

Shot His Uncle

On Monday evening while Mr. Sher-
born Moody was examining a revolver at
the home of his uncle, Mr. Reuben Wor-
ster, at Chris in shore, the weapon was ac-
cidentally discharged and the bullet
struck Mr. Worster's right leg just above
the knee and passed nearly through the
limb, being taken out on the inside just
below the joint, inflicting a painful, but
not serious wound. City Physician F. E.
Towle was called, extracted the bullet and
dressed the wound and comforted Mr.
Moody, who was nearly frantic with
fright and grief over his uncle's wound.

CITY BRIEFS.

When you've written 'T,
In putting down the date,
It only takes a careless
To change it to an S.

Louisville Journal.

Ivanhoe, Ivanhoe, tonight, tonight.
The year starts in well for a small fire
loss.

The Alliance will go into the dry dock
tomorrow.

Cuban war talk was the topic for con-
versation today.

The New Marlboro will be opened to
the public tomorrow.

Three church fairs are to be held in
Philbrick's hall this winter.

The ferry Newmarket carried away one
of her rudder chains yesterday.

Manager Ayers of Music hall is running
in some first class attractions just now.

Two doz n persons pay more than \$50
each for taxes in the town of Stratham.

The survey for the electric road from
Hampton to Hampton Falls has been be-
gun.

The Epworth League will tender a re-
ception to the Ladies' Aid society of the
church in the vestry Thursday evening.

The B. and M. pile driver left this
morning in charge of foreman Spanney to
do some repair work on the Salem bridge.

Children's white footed and dotted
muslin dresses that have sold at \$4.00,
\$1.00 to \$1.75, your chance for 60c. at
the Globe Grocery Co.

Bank Commissioner Hatch and Wal-
ker have been in Exonia the past week
examining the accounts of the defunct
Belmont bank of that town.

That masquerade dance this evening
will be attended by a large crowd. Daniel
Coffee, the boy soprano, will sing in the
concert before the grand march.

C. S. Percival, the handicapper, who
has made the handicaps for all the bicycle
races here, and who got up the bicycle
races last fall, has been dropped from the
racing board by Chief Constable Elliott.

It is noticeable that a good many peo-
ple who have no trouble in showing up at
parties and balls in the very worst of
weather are knocked out on stormy Sun-
days so that they cannot attend church.

Harry Caldwell is building himself a
bike for road use the coming season. The
front wheel will be 28 inches in diameter
and the rear 30 inches. It will have a 91
gear, and will weigh 24 pounds when com-
pleted.

The two marines recently sentenced to
the Alford jail by Justice Neal for creat-
ing a disturbance on an electric car, fin-
ished their terms today. It is understood
that they have been discharged from the
marine corps.

Naval Yard Notes

Paymaster Cheating of the Alliance
has returned from a trip to Washington
where he was examined for promotion.

The two new boats for the Alliance will
be of the whale boat pattern.

Sailmaker H. C. Lovell and his force are
at work on the sails of the Alliance.

Three ship joiners, one plumber and
help and two sail makers were required
on the yard yesterday.

The officers have discussed the Cub
situation most thoroughly and the sending
of the Maine was on a businesslike talked
over.

With two or three war ships at this
yard just at this time things would be
quite lively now.

The war talk with Spain might result
in the Alliance getting ready for sea at
any time.

Portsmouth Horse to Race at Dover

Enone McQue has entered his horse
M. W. G. in the 3 minute class and Ed-
ward Steppad has entered Robert J. in
the open races at the big trot race to be
held in Dover tomorrow. Robert J. is
said to be the fastest horse in this city
and his owner expects great things of him
tomorrow. Mr. P. T. McWilliams is to
handle the ribb on over him in the race.

Gave General Satisfaction

The attraction at Music hall last even-
ing was the old time "Devil's Ant" but
under the metamorphosis of Charles
H. Yale it would be unrecognizable. The
scenery was all new and the mechanical
effects up to date. The ballet was better
than usual and all in all it proved very
satisfactory to the big audience.

Albion R. Philbrick

Albion R. Philbrick, a prominent citizen
of Rye, died very suddenly from heart
failure at his home near the Farragut
house last evening, at the age of fifty-one
years, nine months and twenty-two days.
He is survived by a wife. The funeral
services will be held at the home tomor-
row afternoon.

KITTERY.

The stock of the Globe Grocery com-
pany is being moved to Dover by Wood
Bros.

Fred C. Cross is to locate in Dover.
John E. Moore, H. C. Tobey, H. C.
Keen, James W. Brown and Wm. Steven-
son have been required on the yard.

Tugs are running smoothly on the
electric line.

The friends of Speaker Reed here claim
that he is going to give Kittery a new
dock.

H. C. Lovell and Z. H. Jackson have
once more been required on the yard.

The dry dock was hauled out at the
yard this noon to receive the Alliance to-
morrow.

My Friend from India

There is no earthly reason why any one
should have the blues as long as we have
"My Friend from India" and this piece
is the attraction at Music hall on the
evening of Jan. 26. A cleverer, funnier,
farce comedy than the above play is not
on the road today. The author has chosen
Theosophy as a theme and a barber, a
rich Chicago pork packer who is endeavor-
ing to get into society are all mixed in
a laughable conglomeration of incidents
and situations that keep the audience in
rivers of laughter. Mr. Walter E. Per-
kins who leads the cast plays the part of
A. Keene Shaver, the barber in this com-
pany. This is this actor's original char-
acter and the New York Sun says in
speaking of all others that have assayed
his role: "Mr. Perkins, who was the
original barber still holds his laurels, un-
disturbed however, as they do not come
within a thousand miles of him artistical-
ly."

Percival Granted a Divorce

Charles G. Percival, the official handi-
capper of the L. A. W., and his wife,
Clover L., were before Judge Blodgett in
the divorce session of the superior court
yesterday, each seeking to get a divorce
from the other. The husband charged
a livery and named a couple of his bicy-
cle friends as co-respondents. The wife's
bill contained allegations of cruelty.

A bunch of letters which the husband
found in a battered shape in a waste barrel
were too indiscreet to quote from, other
than the beginning, "Dear Clover" or
"Dear Violet."

The wife admitted that she had re-
ceived them. Judge Blodgett dismissed
the bill of the wife and granted a decree
nisi to the husband.

After a "Bow Wow"

There is something holy in the hush
which falls on a lurch cart when one or
more women call in for their night re-
freshments. The presence of women in a
lunch cart has just enough novelty about
it to cause those habitual feeders at such
a place to be seized with awe when one
enters. No one else eats, conversation is
stopped, and there is scarcely a sound ex-
cept the sizzling of some unfeeling frank-
furter in the steam kettle, the dreamy sound
of dissolving sugar in a coffee cup, and the
low voice of the keeper of the kennels as
he politely asks whether mustard shall be
applied to the order before delivery.

Prospects Good

General Manager Charles P. Berry of
the Portsmouth Shoe Company, who ar-
rived home on Sunday from a trip through
the South and West, reports business as
picking up in those sections of the country.
Manager Berry returned with a large
number of large orders and it is ex-
pected to start up the factory to its fullest
capacity by tomorrow or next day.

Entertained Her Lady Friends

Mrs. Remey, wife of Commodore Geo.
C. Remey, U. S. N., commandant of the
naval station, gave a party to about thirty
of her lady friends from this city yester-
day afternoon. What was the popular
game and during the afternoon dainty re-
freshments were served.

Little Steamer Fern Wins Race

The dispatch steamer Fern, which was
pitted with boiler and other fittings at
this yard a year ago, beat all the vessels
of the North Atlantic squadron on the
run to Key West. The run was given a
lengthy article in the New York papers.

Death of Isabel E. Lombard

Mrs. Isabel E., widow of the late Harry
Lombard, died at her home on Mount
Vernon street early this morning aged 61
years, five months and nineteen days. De-
ceased leaves four daughters and one son
all of this city.

"Neglected colds make for graveyards,"
Dr. Wood's Norway Pine syrup helps men
and women to a happy, vigorous old age.

AN INSATIATE RIVER

HOW THE MISSISSIPPI SOMETIMES
EATS UP REAL ESTATE.

Captain King of Greenville Tells How
the Father of Waters Swallowed Several
Thousand Dollars' Worth of His Property
In One Night.

"No use talking, the Mississippi river is
the most contrary thing on earth," re-
marked Captain S. H. King of Greenville,
Miss. "During the civil war, it will be
remembered, there was a double bend,
much in the shape of the letter S, of the
river at Vicksburg. General Grant, you
know, wanted to change the course of the
river by cutting a channel through the
Soto peninsula, thus cutting off the upper
head and causing the river to flow straight
across below Vicksburg and leaving the
town high and dry. Grant could then
have sent his gunboats by Vicksburg and
secured the shelling from the upper bat-
teries of the Confederates north of the
town. He put General McClernand and
several thousand men to work at cutting
this channel across the peninsula in front
of the town, and they worked for some
time, notwithstanding the harassment
from the lower batteries of the enemy.
But the contrary river wouldn't show the
channel any way. The plan was finally
abandoned and Grant's gunboats had to
make the run before both the upper and
lower batteries. But in 1870 the Missis-
sippi river, of its own accord, cut its way
across the Soto peninsula below Vicksburg,
but further up than Grant's artificial
channel was started. De Soto peninsula
is now De Soto Island, and the body of
water in front of Vicksburg is now known
as Centennial lake, taking the name from
the year that the Centennial was held at
Philadelphia. This is only one of many
instances showing how the Mississippi re-
fuses to submit to the dictation of civil
engineers and law follows its own path
some course, winding and washing in-
away here and there at its own will."

"By the way, the Mississippi washed
several thousand dollars out of my pocket
in one night about 15 years ago. At that
time I owned a lot of houses which I had
almost three blocks away from the river
in Greenville, Miss. One day a govern-
ment engineer said to me, 'The river will
some time wash away its bank here, and
your buildings will tumble in.'
"Well, I laughed at him. The bank
was 75 feet high, and besides, the river
was quite low. One morning I awoke to
learn that there had been a big cave in of
the river bank just before me, and that
a couple of my buildings had been carried
away. I joined the crowd of people that
rushed to the river bank to see this de-
struction, and I tell you, I never ap-
preciated the terrible power of the Father
of Waters until I witnessed this scene.
While I was standing there talking with
friends another big slice of land, a block
in width, crumbled away and fell into the
river, carrying with it several more of my
buildings. Now you can imagine how I felt
because I had been drawing an income of
\$1,000 a month in rentals from my build-
ings. Now over half of them were a mass
of debris floating down the river, and my
real estate was only so much dirt in the
bottom of the channel.

"As I stood there watching my build-
ings and ground slip away into the river
a citizen approached me and said, 'Cap-
tain, I'll give you \$1,500 for the remain-
der of your property.'
"No, I'll not take less than \$2,000,"
said I.

"The words had no more than left my
tongue when there was another cave in,
and two more of my lots and buildings
tumbled into the greedy river. The citizen
then remarked to me, 'Captain, I'll give
you \$1,000 for your property now.'
"I refused to entertain this proposition
which, of course, was a pure speculation
as no human agency could stop the cave-
in. Pretty soon another one of my lots
and its building went into the river, and
my speculative friend then offered me \$600
for the remainder of my property. By this
time I had concluded to try to turn and
stand all losses, and I agreed to sell at
any price. I now had only lot and one
building left. During the excitement a
colored woman came up and said to me:

"See heah, cap'n, will ye give me dem
brick what's in dat cellar under yer
house?"

"I told her she could have the brick. I
had a pile of new brick in the cellar under
my only remaining house. The old col-
ored woman gave her husband 25 cents
to hire a team and wagon to haul away
the brick. Now, upon my word of honor,
what I am now going to say is true.
While the old colored man was gone for a
wagon another cave in occurred, and my
last house and lot, brick and cellar and
all, tumbled into the river. The cave in
came so suddenly that the crowd of people
standing on the bank had to flee for their
lives. After the excitement had somewhat
subsided the old colored woman exclaimed:
'Laws of de misser! Dere a my brick in
de bottom of de river, an I done los my
quintessence.'"

"Of course, while the old woman was
out 25 cents, I was out another \$1,000.
During this series of cave ins that day
efforts were being made to place in the
frame store building on rollers and move
it to a place of safety. But before the
building could be raised it began to tilt,
and the men were compelled to desert it,
and the store building slid into the river
down the middle of the Mississippi, and to-
day, as completely out of sight as if it
had been the only pebble on the beach."
"In my opinion the Mississippi river is
all right—when it doesn't come my way. I
built a nice residence in Greenville several
years ago and had a beautiful flower bed
decked lawn between the house and the
river, which was a block away. That lawn
has been since swallowed by the voraci-
ous jaws of the Mississippi, and today
my residence stands on the edge of a bank
that is 75 feet high."—St. Louis Globe.

With the Police

The police slate this morning con-
tained the names of two drunks and four
lodgers. Officer Shannon arrested Paul
Nick Moran whom he found drunk on
High street early in the evening. Paul
Nick, who is an old soldier, was arrested
for the same offense Monday evening but
promised the marshal he would keep
straight if let off. The same officer ar-
rested Edward McWinne, better known
as "McGraty," shortly after on Market
square for the same offense.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER



Bright Girl's Birthday

"It is a great thing to be bright, isn't it,
Nan?" said a girl on a car.
"It undoubtedly is, my dear. But what
called forth that sage remark?"
"Do you remember Florence Brown of
Selma, Kan., who was in our class at col-
lege?"
"Of course I do."
"Well, you know that, although a very
pretty and attractive girl, she is still an
married, and lately she wrote to one of

JANUARY
Sacrifice Sale of
CLOAKS

— AT —
Lewis E. Staples,
7 Market Street.

COLUMBIAN
CHOCOLATES
Finest Grade
Per pound 50c.
Mallard's Famous Mixture
OF CHOCOLATES
AND HON BUNS
25 Cents
WYLIE'S MOLASSES
KISSES.
20 Cents.
GREEN'S WALNUT
KISSES.
20 Cents.
GIBSON'S LIME FRUIT TABLETS.
Per Quarter 15 Cents.
Phubrick's Pharmacy
Franklin Block
Portsmouth, N. H.

— AT —
W. E. PAUL'S
Mark-Down Sale

You Can Buy
Corn Poppers for 15 Cents
Vinegar Cruets 5 "
1 quart Beau Pots 10 "
Rinsing Fars 15 "
Fluted Tumblers 25c. doz
2 quart White Granite Bowls 10c. ea.
Cotton Clothes Lines. 15c. "
White Granite Cups and Saucers 60c. doz.
White Pudding Dishes 10c. ea.
Paper Shades 10c. "
Silk Shades 50c. "

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A High Pair Which Can't Be
Beaten
Our line of Boys and Youths shoes is
unrivalled for elegance or wear. Prices
are duplicated elsewhere.

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Again we Say,
It Has No Equal
Patronize The
Portsmouth Steam Laundry.
Best Machinery.
Best Workmen.
Best Laundry.
Edw. Pickering,
Proprietor,
State St.,
Room 43-3

THE HERALD.

1898	January	1898
Su.	Mo.	Tu.
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MOON'S PHASES.
Full Moon 7 40 p.m.
New Moon 22 2 41 a.m.
First Quarter 15 11 00 a.m.
Last Quarter 29 9 48 a.m.

THE WEATHER FORECAST
The indications for N. England are
increasing clouds with rain or snow.
Little change in temperature followed
by warmer Wednesday variable winds
ALMANAC WEDNESDAY JAN 28
Sunrise 6:44 sets 4:47
Moon sets 11:11 p.m.
High tide 11:41 a.m. 2:13 p.m.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 25, 1898.

Home from the West.

Hon. Frank Jones and party arrived
home from Seattle this noon after a most
successful business trip. He reports busi-
ness improving all along the line and the
only trouble now appears to be in New
England. Mr. Jones' trip to the far west
was for the purpose of inspecting some
railroad property at Seattle and he de-
cided to make a number of important im-
provements and changes there.

Found a Dog

Special Agent Robert E. Hodgkins of
the N. H. S. P. C. A. found a valuable
pug dog on the corner of Daniel street
and Market square early last evening.
The animal had evidently been lost by its
owner and so was taken care of by Agent
Hodgkins. The pug has a silver chain
collar around his neck but with no name
or number of license.

On a Trip to Washington

Charles F. Shillaber, Augustus P. Sym-
pson, Charles Smith and Ceylon Spawney
left today on a ten day's pleasure trip to
Washington. They will take in New York
and Philadelphia on the way. Mr. Shil-
aber will make a trip forth to south, taking
in Old Point Comfort and other places be-
fore returning.

Changes at the Depot

The ticket office at the depot is to be
newly renovated and painted, work on the
same to commence at once. During the
alterations ticket agent Crowley will do
business in the telegraph office with Man-
ager Wallace.

Where Were the Police?

The old moon lying in the lap of the
new was plainly visible on Monday even-
ing—Chronicle.

It's folly to suffer from that horrible
plague of night itching piles. Doan's
Ointment cures, quickly and permanently.
At any drug store, 50 cents.

A GOOD WATCH

Is a good thing to have in your
pocket. The watch you should
carry is in our stock and the
price which we offer it at makes
it extremely easy to pocket the
very one you want.

Remember the Place,

The New Jewelry Store, Frank in Block
51 Congress St
PAUL M. HARVEY,
(successor to)
HODSDON & HARVEY
Portsmouth, N. H.

Cures
Piles

Granite
Pile Cure.
TradeMark Registered
Formerly Eureka
Has cured thousands, it will cure you.
It costs you nothing to try it. For if it
doesn't relieve and cure you your
money is PAID BACK TO YOU. A
written guarantee to that effect in
every cure. It is a strictly first-class
cure in every respect; it is neat and
clean; a sweet smelling cure. No
soiling of the hands to apply it. It
is THE BEST.

On sale in Portsmouth by F. B. Cole-
man, W. D. Greene, Boardman & Norton
Goodwin, E. Phubrick and Green's Phar-
macy.
Manufactured by
GRANITE PILE CURE CO.,
CONCORD, N. H.

SUDDEN DEATH

Luther E. Martin, the Contractor,
Dies This Morning

Luther Edward Martin, the well known
carpenter and builder was stricken with
paralysis shortly after 7 last evening at
his home, 59 Islington street, and died at
6 30 this morning. His age was sixty-six
years, four months and twenty-four days.
Mr. Martin was apparently in his usual
good health yesterday and attended to his
work. He had just finished the evening
meal when he complained of feeling dis-
tressed and the attack was at first at-
tributed to indigestion. A physician was
called to attend him but he rapidly grew
worse. His death was a severe shock to
his relatives and the community.

Mr. Martin was born in this city and
after attending the public schools learned
the carpenter's trade, which occupation he
continued in until the time of his death.
For the past fifteen years his place of
business has been at Broughton's wharf,
foot of Daniel street. He was one of the
most prominent builders in this city and
had charge of the erection of a number of
business blocks.

He was a first class mechanic, kind and
popular with those he employed and up-
right and honest in his business transac-
tions.

He is survived by three brothers, Hor-
ace A. Martin, a carpenter, Thomas R.
Martin, of the Portsmouth Gas Light com-
pany, and Charles W. Martin, a tinsmith,
and one sister, Miss Charlotte E. Martin.

OFFICERS INSTALLED

Grand Commander Hatch Visits De
Witt Clinton Commandery No. 1

Right Loyal Commander John O.
Hatch and suite visited this city last even-
ing and installed the newly elected officers
of De Witt Clinton Commandery, Knights
Templar. The visit was made one of
great pleasure and knights from many of
the surrounding cities and towns were
present. Hervey of Exeter entered and
the evening was one of much enjoyment.

The officers were installed as follows:
Generalissimo, Richard J. Walden;
Capt. G. N. M. C. Foye,
S. W., Walter B. Page,
J. W., William L. Storer,
Traveller, W. N. Miller,
Recorder, J. L. Parker,
Warder, George D. Mirey,
Standard Bearer, Fred B. Coleman;
Sword Bearer, Horace W. Waldron,
Guard, L. T. Newell, James G. Ward,
Sculptor, Robert H. Hall.

Morrison—Gardner

A very pretty home wedding took place
at the residence of the bride's parents on
Coburn street, at noon today, when Mar-
garet, eldest daughter of C. W. Auditor and
Mrs. Samuel K. Gardner, was united in
marriage with Mr. J. Wilbur Morrison of
Hillsboro Bridge.

The bride is one of Portsmouth's most
charming daughters and has hosts of
friends in this city, while the groom is a
prominent merchant in the northern part
of the state, having branch stores in Hill-
sboro, Tilton and Franklin Falls.

To the tune of Mendelssohn's wedding
march, played by Miss Nellie Rattr, the
happy couple marched down the front
stairs and took their positions beneath an
arch of smilax and roses that hung between
the folding doors connecting the reception
and drawing rooms. The house was prettily
decorated with potted plants, palms and
cut flowers tastefully arranged. The
bride came in leaning on the arm of her
father who gave her away. She was ar-
rayed in a beautiful gown of ivory white
satin with a white veil caught up with a
diamond snuburst, the gift of the groom.
Rev. Henry Hovey, rector of the Episco-
pal church, performed the impressive cer-
emony in the presence of just the immedi-
ate friends and relatives of the contract-
ing parties.

At the conclusion of the ceremony the
happy couple were overwhelmed with con-
gratulations and good wishes, after which
he marched to the dining room took place
where a dainty wedding dinner was
served. The table was beautifully de-
corated with ferns, cut roses, pinks and a
miniature pond, in the centre of which
floated a tiny boat.

While the guests were enjoying the
wedding feast, the bride slipped away, but
soon returned clad in a handsome mixed
blue traveling dress, with hair to match.
Then the good bye were said, and amid
a shower of rice and shppers the couple
entered a hack and were driven to the de-
pot, where another crowd of their friends
were waiting. Another shower of rice
and they boarded the 2 38 train for an ex-
tended tour to Washington, Old Point
Comfort and other places of interest in
the south. On their return they will take
up their residence in Hillsboro Bridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Morrison were the recipi-
ents of many valuable presents from
their hosts of friends, who one and all
wish them every happiness.

Among the out of town guests present
were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Morrison of
Franklin Falls, Dr. and Mrs. Frank of
Milford, Mass., and Mr. Edward Little
field of Concord.

Enjoyed a Neigh Ride

A large party from this city enjoyed a
sleigh ride to Hampton last evening and
partook of an oyster supper at Hotel
Whittemore. They were driven out and
back by Mr. Henry Marshall in one of
Beacham's big barge sleighs.

PERSONALS

Fred T. Brown passed Monday in Do-
ver.

W. G. Cousins of Dover was in town
today.

H. C. Hopkins was in Boston today on
business.

H. Fisher Eldredge, Esq., was in town
on Monday.

Wallace W. Hackett and wife were in
Boston today.

Editor T. L. Norris of the Times was in
Boston today.

Mr. Horace I. Waldron was a visitor in
Boston today.

Mr. John W. White is confined to his
home by illness.

John T. Welch of Dover was a visitor
in town yesterday.

J. E. Hoxie returned yesterday from a
short visit in Boston.

Nathaniel Knowlton of South Berwick
was in town yesterday.

E. A. Leighton of Somersworth was a
visitor in town yesterday.

Dr. A. C. Heflinger was called to York
Harbor on Monday on a consultation case.

C. C. Danforth and E. N. Cheney of
Concord were in this city on Monday eve-
ning.

Smiley Harden and Billy Welch boxed
three rounds in Dover last evening. Hon-
ors even.

John Holland was in Boston today on
business for his father, the well known
provision dealer.

General Agent Brown of the London
office of the Frank Jones Brewing com-
pany went to Boston this morning.

Mrs. Brainerd Rice of South Framing-
ham, Mass., is the guest of her brother,
Mr. William D. Rice and wife, Richards
avenue.

Col. and Mrs. Charles A. Sinclair and
daughter, Marie, returned to Boston this
morning, after making a short visit in
this city.

The many friends of Mrs. Gulick, who
is stopping at the Rockingham, will be
pleased to hear that she is much improved
in health.

Pay Director H. M. Denniston, U. S.
N., has recovered from a brief illness,
which will be learned with pleasure by his
many friends.

John I. Pike, James Rowe and Moses
R. Perkins of Epping were in town last
evening to attend the meeting of the
Knights Templar.

Judge Charles B. Galtney, who has
been very sick at his home in Rochester
the past few days, is reported today as
improving comfortably.

Mr. L. E. Martin, the well known car-
penter, suffered a serious ill turn on Mon-
day afternoon and that evening was re-
ported to be seriously ill.

Col. and Mrs. Charles A. Sinclair and
daughters, Mrs. Parker W. Whittemore
and Miss Louise Sinclair and party, are
expected at the Rockingham.

Mrs. M. V. McDuffie and children left
yesterday to join Rev. Mr. McDuffie in
East Orange, N. J., where he has recently
accepted the pastorate of a church.

Mr. Edward J. Moulton attended the
celebration in Boston on Monday by the
society of California Pioneers, of the fif-
th anniversary of the discovery of gold
at Sutter's mills in January, 1848.

Messrs. Joseph H. J. R. and George
Rowe, R. R. Fellows and E. B. Rand-
ers of Brentwood, George M. Tilton, J. Q.
Pike, J. S. Smith and M. S. Nichols of
Epping, were in town over Monday night,
a tending the installation of the officers of
DeWitt Clinton Commandery, Knights
Templar.

Placed Under Arrest

Jerry Woodsum, the Vaughan street
barber, was arrested this morning by
Assistant Marshal West and Officer An-
derson, on a charge of cruelty to animals.

Jerry had a pet dog that fell in a fit
yearly and as the animal was bleeding at
the mouth and in a very bad condition, he
was shot by Special Agent Robert E.
Hodgkins of the cruelty to animals society.
Later it leaked out that Woodsum had
unluckily kicked the dog to death which
caused this dog to have the fit. Agent
Hodgkins immediately investigated the
case and found evidence enough to have
the man arrested. He was drunk at the
time of the arrest and so was locked up to
sobor off, when he will be tried in police
court. The dog was a pretty little spaniel
and was running around as spry as a
kitten shortly before he had the fit.

Died in Belfast

Word was received here this morning
from Belfast, Me., announcing the death
in that city on Sunday of Henry H. Col-
bett, formerly of this city. Deceased was
48 years, 3 months and 10 days of age
and leaves a wife and one son to mourn
his loss. For a number of years he was
foreman of the Evening Post office and
has many friends in this city.

A Neigh Ride and Dance

The employees of the Rockingham house
enjoyed a sleigh ride to Hampton last
night and enjoyed a banquet and dance at
Whittemore's. The jolly party crowded one
of Beacham's big barges and the ride was
thoroughly enjoyed. The outing was
complimentary to the employees from Mr.
and Mrs. Arthur W. Walker.

CITY BRIEFS

Easter lilies will soon be in order.

Here's to the memory of Bobby Burns!
Merchants report a good January trade.
Dark brown hats will be the rage in the
spring.

Coasting parties were numerous last
evening.

The big masquerade will be held this
evening.

Today is the feast of the conversion of
St. Paul.

Ivanhoe club masquerade at Police hall
this evening.

Ladies and gents box calf shoes for
\$2.00 at Knights.

Elderdown wrappers at the Globe Gro-
cery Co. for \$1.25.

The lumbermen are still sighing for
more snow in the woods.

A good cigar is man's enjoyment. Next
time try Dowd's Honest 10.

Call in and look over W. E. Paul's 5
10, 15, 20 and 25c. counters.

A full rehearsal of the P. A. C. Min-
strels will be held this evening.

W. E. Paul has some big bargains on
his 5, 10, 15, 20 and 25c. counters.

The city laborers are clearing the gut-
ters of ice in anticipation of a thaw.

The best flannelette wrappers in the
city for 97c at the Globe Grocery Co.

The skating at the bicycle park is good
and is being enjoyed by a large number.

Alkon is closing out odds and ends at a
great bargain. Night lamps only 29c
each.

Don't fail to call in W. E. Paul's Sat-
urday evening and look over his bargain
counter.

On Friday evening, Feb. 11, Miss Geo-
rgetta Finsbe will give a dancing party in
Peirce hall.

The town highway agent is not running
up any large bills thus far this winter in
breaking roads.

The pavements are badly iced and too
much precaution cannot be taken in pass-
ing along the street.

The "S. G." Lizards is made in the
cheapest stock and is the best ten-cent
cigar in the market.

Galley tickets for the Ivanhoe club's
masquerade at Peirce hall this evening
are only 25 cents each.

A number from Dover will attend the
masquerade ball of the Ivanhoe club at
Peirce hall this evening.

Have you seen the Union racer in Al-
kon's window? The speediest machine
in the world, only \$75.00.

The board of registrars of check lists
have a meeting at the city clerk's office
Wednesday evening, at 7 p. m.

The "Evil's Auction" company left for
Dover this morning where they play for
the stage hands' benefit this evening.

Special s. le Wednesday at the Globe
Grocery Co. of ladies' night robes, never
sold before for less than \$1.50, for 79c.

The Globe Grocery company's store in
Kittery closed this morning, the stock and
fixtures having been removed to Dover.

If you wish to have comfort have your
shoes tapped with rubber. We warrant
every pair. John Mott, boot and shoe re-
pairer.

"There will be a few obnoxious wheels
in town the coming summer" said a lead-
ing bicycle dealer to the Press man this
morning.

A man who gave the name of John
Chifford and Portsmouth as his home, was
fined \$7.62 in police court at Laconia
yesterday.

Daniel Coffee, Biddeford's talented boy
soprano, arrived in town this forenoon and
will sing at the Ivanhoe club masquerade
this evening.

The Rockingham County Teachers' In-
stitute that was formed in this city re-
cently, will meet in Epping the second
Tuesday in April.

The Globe Grocery Co. are closing out
all their winter jackets at great reduc-
tions. One line of all wool, silk lined
jackets for \$2.50. These we have sold at
from \$6.50 to \$10.

While fishing for smelts on Great Bay
on Monday George Parks broke through the
ice and would have drowned but for
assistance rendered by Capt. Harvey who
was fishing nearby.

The special sale for Saturday at the
Globe Grocery Co. will be 10lb. tubs of
the very best Kettle Brand leaf lard
for 67c. They have only 400 and they
will be gone if you don't come early.

The sea at Hampton beach, Sunday,
was the highest this season, and the waves
broke over the road at the causeway. The
electricity were unable to go beyond the
Overlook cottage, as the waves had
washed over a lot of stones on the track.

The young men of the Middle street
Baptist church have their plans perfected
for a fascinating time at the chapel on
Wednesday evening for the benefit of the
parish. The entire arrangements were
suggested and will be carried out by the
steward.

Sunday's snow was improved by fox-
hunters but no successful results were re-
ported, tracks being very scarce, undoubt-
edly due to the large amount of water in
the low lands, which prevented foxes from
getting about comfortably. One party
traveled about fourteen miles and only saw
two fox tracks and one of these led to a
hole not far away.

Funeral of Postmaster Ryan

The funeral of Postmaster James Ryan,
Jr., was held Monday afternoon, at his
home in Dover. The service was private.
A long cortege, however, followed the re-
mains to the grave. The Rev. Fr. Casey,
assistant rector of St. Mary's parish of-
ficiated. The services were simple, yet
very impressive.

During the funeral the postoffice was
closed, while curtains were drawn in a
number of the business houses.

The honorary bearers were members of
the bar, John Kivel, George Hughes,
William E. Roberts, James McCabe, and
ex-Mayor Samuel D. Folger of Rochester.
The pall bearers were employees of the
postoffice, S. H. Jennings, George Towle,
Frank Cassidy, Fred E. New, Frank H.
Rollins, Frank E. Bennett, Wright Sykes
and George F. Wentworth.

Under Popular Management

Messrs. Charles Webb and Walter
Campbell, the new proprietors of the New
Marlboro House, are to open the hotel to
the public tomorrow evening. The house
has been entirely renovated and newly
painted and everything put in first class
condition. New furniture and fixtures have
been added, making it a model hotel.
They will be much pleased to meet all
their friends at the opening tomorrow
evening and are making arrangements to
serve a fine supper. The new managers
are both well known and popular young
men who intend to run the hotel in first
class style.

The Doctors Advice.

"I was taken with boils and carbuncle,
which appeared all over my body. A
physician advised me to take Hood's
Sarsaparilla. I did so and soon began to
feel better. I am now entirely free from
sores and boils. Since then I have had no
return of the trouble." ERNEST L. RIPLEY,
Marlboro Depot, N. H.

Hood's Pills cure nausea, sick headache,
indigestion, biliousness. All druggists,
25c.

Dover Navigation Company.

The annual meeting of the Dover Na-
vigation company will be held in Dover
this evening, at 7 30 o'clock to hear the
report of the treasurer for the year end-
ing Jan. 25, 1898, to elect officers of the
company for the year ensuing and the
transaction of other business.

DIED.

In his 84th year, Jan. 23, Henry H. Cobbett,
aged 84 years, 1 month, 19 days. Formerly of
Portsmouth N. H.

On Monday, in this city, Jan. 24, Eben S. Or-
dron, aged 71 years 6 months.

Died in this city Jan. 24, Abby Dwyer,
aged 72 years, widow of John Dwyer.

Goodwin. In Newburyport, Mass., Jan. 24,
Capt. Abel Goodwin, aged 84 years.

CASCARET stimulates liver, kidneys and
bowels. Never sicken, weaken or gripe,
10c.

Ladies
Flannelette
Night
Robes.

Our idea is to close out this
line of goods this season. We
have thrown away the profit
and part of the cost of the
goods.

75c Robes 50c
\$1.00 " 79c
\$1.25 " 98c

Gents
Flannelette
Night
Shirts.

65c Quality 45c
\$1.00 " 79c

FOYE,
The Ladies' Furnisher.

Send for Estimates,
C. S. GURNEY, Artist,
Portsmouth, N. H.

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Sea Side, City
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Large Colored
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MOLASSES WALNUT AND
CHOCOLATE.
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RALPH GREEN.

W. G. WIGGIN, Photographer

Frank D. Butler,
Auctioneer
— AND —
Real Estate Broker,
1 Congress St.

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GEORGE B. FRENCH
Offers The Following Jackets And Capes At Final Clearance Prices:

- 1 ASTRACHAN FUR CAPE, \$17 Your choice of our FINEST JACKETS, worth \$25.00, now
- 1 BLACK FRENCH CO- NEY FUR CAPE, \$5.50 size 36, old price \$18.00, \$20.00 and \$22.50, new prices \$12.50, \$15.00, \$15.00
- 1 ELECTRIC SEAL CAPE, \$20 length 30 inches, with Mar- ten collar, old price \$31.00, new price
- 1 ELEGANT KERSEY JACKETS, worth \$6.00 now \$2.75
- 1 ELECTRIC SEAL JACKET, size 36, old price \$33.00, new price \$21
- 1 FINE KERSEY AND BUGLE JACKETS, old prices \$10.00 and \$12.00, new prices \$5.